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C O N F I D E N T I A L BANGUI 0487

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAG: PFOR, PDIP, PORG, CT

SUBJECT: BOKASSA'S RETURN

REF: A. BANGUI 0460 B. BANGUI 0435

1. THERE HAVE BEEN NO FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN CASE OF UNDP TECH-
NICIANS' EXPULSION SINCE BANGUI 0460 AND EARLIER RUMORS OF ALLEGED
US INVOLVEMENT IN ESPIONAGE IN CONNECTION WITH OBJECTIONABLE
UNDP CENSUS QUESTIONS. WITH BOKASSA LINGERING IN FRANCE AND
NO INDICATION OF WHEN HE WILL RETURN, THE CURRENT STAND OFF IS
LIKELY TO CONTINUE FOR SOME TIME. OUR PRESENT GUESS IS THAT
AFTER BOKASSA'S RETURN UNDP TECHNICIANS WILL BE ALLOWED TO
LEAVE UNDER MORE NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES AND CENSUS WILL BE
FORGOTTEN.

2. IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING EMBASSY AND PC PLAN TO ARRANGE
FOLLOW-UP MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF MINISTRY OF WATER, FORESTS,
HUNTING AND FISHING, AND FRENCH FAC TO MOVE AHEAD WITH FURTHER
PRELIMINARY PLANNING FOR WILD PROJECT MENTIONED PARA 3 BANGUI
0435 UNLESS INFORMED BY APRIL 9 THAT DEPARTMENT POSES
OBJECTION TO THIS APPROACH.
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